

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Walton Sumner II et al.

Serial No. 09/521,242

Filed: April 5, 2000

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: Group Art Unit: 2121

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: Examiner: George B. Davis

For: COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE AND PROCESS OF PATIENT
GENERATION, EVOLUTION, AND SIMULATION FOR
COMPUTER BASED TESTING SYSTEM USING
BAYESIAN NETWORKS AS A SCRIPTING LANGUAGE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

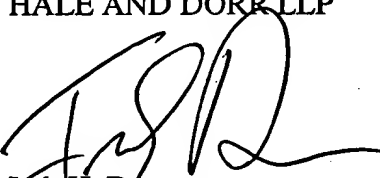
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Dear Sir:

Applicants request a three-month extension of time to respond to the Official Action
mailed November 6, 2002 and enclose the appropriate fee in accordance with 37 CFR §1.136(a).

Respectfully submitted,

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